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11 MILLION FOR WATERWAYS IN SOUTH PLANNED

Chief Army Engineer To Push Big Program for Eleven States.

HARBORS ARE SOUGHT

Sum Named in Report Is One Fourth Asked in Entire Country.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—An expenditure of approximately \$11,000,000 for rivers and harbors in eleven southern states during the next fiscal year is recommended by Major General Beach, chief of army engineers, in his annual report today to the Secretary of war. This total is exclusive of a proposed \$7,500,000 for the Muscle Shoals, Ala., project in the Tennessee river, and \$6,670,000 for the Mississippi river commission (flood control) and represents about one-fourth of the sum proposed for the entire country.

Principal harbor projects for the South are Norfolk, \$500,000; Savannah, \$1,025,000; Brunswick, Ga., \$200,000; Jacksonville, St. James river to sea, \$588,000; Tampa Bay \$148,500; Tampa and Hillsboro bays \$300,000; Mobile \$300,000; Houston Ship channel \$400,000; Galveston channel, \$250,000 and Port Arkansas \$200,000.

Principal waterway projects are: Southwest pass, Mississippi river, \$1,136,000; Intracoastal waterway, Mississippi river to Bayou Teche, \$100,000; Inland waterway, Norfolk to Beaufort inlet, North Carolina, \$400,000; Cumberland river below Nashville, Tenn., \$424,000 and Wuchita and Black rivers, Arkansas and Louisiana \$300,000.

Aside from those mentioned, projects proposed follow, grouped by states.

Louisiana.

South Pass Channel, Mississippi river \$250,000; Bayou Teche, \$50,000; Bayou Queue de Tortue, \$20,000; Calcasieu River and Pass, \$35,000; Removing water hyacinth, Louisiana, \$30,500; Bayou Plaquemine, Grand River and Port Arthur canal, \$20,000; Bayou Grossetete, \$5,000; Johnson's Bayou, \$3,000; Cypress Bayou and waterway between Jefferson and Shreveport, \$5,000; Boeuf river, \$5,000; Tensas river and Bayou Macon, \$5,000; Bayou Batholomew, \$2,500; Saline river, \$3,000 and Bayou D'Arbonne and Corney, \$2,000.

Texas.

Galveston harbor, \$50,000; Channel Galveston to Texas City, \$100,000; Freeport harbor, \$150,000; Harbor at Sabine Pass and Port Arthur canal, \$150,000; West Galveston bay and Brazos river canal, \$50,000; Channel Brazos river to Magadorra bay, \$50,000; Channel from Arkansas Pass to Corpus Christi, \$120,000; Channel to Port Bolivar, \$10,000; Double Bayou, \$7,000; Anahuac channel, \$5,000; Mouth of Trinity river, \$1,000; Turtle Bayou, \$10,000; Cedar Bayou, \$5,000; Clear Creek, \$4,000; Dickerson bayou, \$5,000 and Channel Pass Cavallo to Aransas Pass, \$10,000.

Virginia.

Nansemond river, \$20,000; Appomattox river, \$25,000; Pagan river, \$25,000; Potomac river at Washington, \$33,000; Aquia creek, \$39,700; Rappahannock river, \$21,600; Mattaponi river, \$10,000.

North Carolina.

Cape Fear river, at and below Wilmington, \$30,000; above Wilmington, \$15,000; Beaufort inlet, \$46,500; Beaufort harbor, \$24,000; Scuppernon river, \$15,000; Neuse river, \$12,000; Trent river, \$2,500; Inland Waterway, Beaufort to Jacksonville, \$20,000; Waterway Core Sound to Beaufort, \$2,500; Cape Lookout Harbor of Refuge, \$5,000; Northeast river, \$3,000 and Black river, \$2,000.

South Carolina.

Winyah Bay, \$45,000; Waterway Beaufort, to St. Johns river, Fla., \$55,000; Sante river and Estherville-Minim creek canal, \$8,000; Congaree river, \$10,000 and Waterway Charleston to Winyah bay, \$10,000.

Georgia.

Savannah river below Augusta \$10,000; at Augusta, \$2,000; above Augusta, \$2,000; Darien harbor, \$8,000; Fancy Bluff Creek, \$1,200; Satilla river, \$2,000; St. Mary's river, Georgia and Florida \$12,000; Altamaha river, \$11,000; Oconee river, \$24,000; Ocmulgee river, \$20,000; Flint river, \$25,000 and Chatahoochee river, Georgia and Alabama \$122,000.

Florida.

St. Johns river to Palatka, \$30,000; Palatka to Lake Henry, \$78,000; Channel Clear Water to Tampa bay, \$14,000; Miami harbor, \$46,000; Key West harbor, \$88,500; Ferdinand harbor and Cumberland Sound, \$8,000; Indian river, \$5,000; Kissimmee river, \$10,000; Caloosa-hatchee river, \$25,000; Sarasota bay, \$55,000; Anclote river, \$7,000.

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POLISH BOY CHESS WIZARD HAS RIVAL; CHICAGO BOY WOULD LIKE TO MEET HIM



Ralph Talitkoff, left, and Samuel Rzeszewski, the Polish phenom.

American chess enthusiasts were interested some months ago in the remarkable exhibitions of Samuel Rzeszewski, eight-year-old lad from Poland, who met and defeated roomfuls of adult experts nightly during a tour. Now the west is talking about Ralph Talitkoff, ten-year-old Chicago boy. Ralph recently won a tournament at the Union League club of Chicago, defeating thirty contestants. Ralph is a member of the boys' club of that organization. The runner-up in the tourney was another boy his age, Frank Pagliano.

DOUGE URGES BIG POULTRY DISPLAY

Chickens Never Fail You, Secretary Declares in Message Friday.

Although corn and wheat may fail and cotton may fall a victim to the boll weevil, "Old Biddy" and her brood of chicks are always reliable friends to country and city folk alike. Lute Douge, secretary of the Pontotoc County Poultry association, pointed out in a letter today urging strong co-operation in the county poultry show to be held here January 5, 6 and 7.

Instructions for preparing poultry for the exhibit are contained in the letter which follows:

"To the Poultry Breeders of Pontotoc County, especially the Club Members: Our annual show will be held January 5, 6 and 7, 1922, and we solicit and urge you to bring in your birds and show them. Very liberal premiums are offered on all breeds and the entry fee is low, 25 cents for single birds and \$1.00 for pens. A pen consists of five birds, four females and one male of any age of the same variety.

"We have purchased some new steel coops for our show and hope to make a nicer and better display than in the past. Put your birds up a few days before the show and get them 'pen wise.' Handle them and get them tame so they will not 'fly the coop.' Look for stubs and feathers on all clean legged birds, also sprigs or side spikes on their combs and all of these are disqualifying defects and your birds will not be judged. Wash their feet, rub their combs with vaseline to make them look clean and fresh.

Dress Them Up.

"You always put on your best 'togs' on Sunday, so make this Sunday for your birds and make them look as nice as possible. Condition has much to do with winning, so clean 'em up and change it will be surprised what a change it will make and then you will be proud of your exhibit whether you win or not. Come out and help make it the best show we have ever had. Every poultry breeder in the county should be interested.

"Old King Cotton" has failed you two or three times, but 'Biddy' never fails. She does not ask for shorter hours, different working rules or more pay, but with good care will earn her keep and a nice profit and 'be happy ever after.'

"If any one wishes to learn how to pick laying hens from the flock and do away with non-layers and drones I will be glad to show them either at the show or at my home. 'Now, folks, come out and give us your support. We need it. Our catalog is now ready to send out, but I do not know all the breeders in the county, so drop me a postal and I will send you one. If you haven't any chickens, come to the show anyway. You will be welcome and you will have a chance of winning a five dollar 'William,' if you are the best guesser.

"Hoping to see you at the show with a nice string of your birds, we are Yours most truly for MORE and BETTER poultry in Pontotoc county.

PONTOTOC CO. POL. ASSN.

Lute Douge, Sec.-Treas.

Ada, Okla.

SIR KNIGHTS, ATTENTION!

Regular Conclave of Ada Commandery No. 16, K. T., this evening at 6:30 o'clock. Election of officers. Work in Temple degree and other important matters. All Sir Knights cordially invited.—F. C. Sims, Recorder.

MORATORIUM IS IN FOREGROUND

Reparation Commission To Act on Germany's Plea For More Time.

PARIS, Dec. 16.—The allied reparations commission, meeting today to consider the German notice of inability to pay the next two installments in full and request for an extension of time, virtually agreed that the commission itself should take definite action on the request instead of referring the question to the allied governments. It has been announced that the commission would meet again this afternoon to discuss the matter further.

Dr. Mayer, the German ambassador, delivered to Premier Briand today a copy of the German reparation notice. The German embassy announced that Dr. Mayer was elected to this errand and that there was no truth in the report that he had presented a formal demand for delay in the payment or for a moratorium.

Since Germany agreed to the Allied reparations terms last May the following dates and amounts were fixed for payments:

June 1—\$1,000,000,000 gold marks to the Reparations Commission.

July 1—Delivery to the Commission of bonds for 12,000,000,000 gold marks.

July 15—First quarterly payment of annual sum of 2,000,000,000 gold marks.

Aug. 15—First quarterly payment of the 26 percent of the value of German exports.

Oct. 15—Second quarterly payment of annual sum of 2,000,000,000 gold marks.

Nov. 1—Delivery to the Reparations Commission of bonds for 38,000,000,000 gold marks; also bonds without coupons attached for \$2,000,000,000 gold marks.

Nov. 15—Second quarterly payment of the 26 percent of the value of German exports.

Program for Commission. The Guaranties Commission now in Berlin is composed of M. Mauciere, of France, its chairman and M. Bemelmans, vice-chairman. Other members are Sir Hugh G. Levis, Great Britain; Signor D'Ameglio, Italy; M. Sekiba, Japan; M. Tourchet, Yugoslavia; and Roland W. Boydon, United States.

The duties of the Commission are described under eight heads as follows:

"First—To insure enforcement of Articles 241 and 248 of the Treaty of Versailles.

"Second—To supervise the collection of German customs, export taxes and other revenues for the payment of reparations.

"Third—To see that German supplies funds for the interest on reparation bonds.

"Fourth—To watch German legislation so that the revenue is not diminished, to require Germany to submit to such measures for improvement and also to require new income if the old sources of income are abandoned.

"Fifth—To determine if German resources devoted to the interest on bonds are adequate.

"Sixth—To examine the German fiscal system in the name of the Reparations Commission.

"Seventh—To check and correct, if necessary, the German figures on exports on which a 26 per cent tax is collectable.

"Eighth—To take any other measures deemed necessary to assure fulfillment of its mission without, however, interfering with the German administration."

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CAMPAIGN GOES OVER TODAY AS WORKERS CLOSE

Chamber of Commerce Attains Goal After Hard Team Canvass.

BILL NEWTON VICTOR

Re-Organization Men Off Today With Thanks of Ada Captains.

The Chamber of Commerce membership drive reached its goal of 400 members this noon when the teams, working faithfully to the end, reported 64 new members for the fifth day's work, and guaranteed to raise 15 more members by nightfall.

The score board showed exactly 385 members when reports were all in. Major Wray led a movement by which the additional 15 necessary to reach the big goal were underwritten by team members present.

Ada's drive for a big modern Chamber of Commerce with an income of \$10,000 a year is therefore a success. Ada is "over the top" again on a community undertaking.

Today was "open day" in the drive. At 9 o'clock the team workers, still enthusiastic and believing in success, started out to scour the town for prospects who had not been seen during the work in districts. They put it over, with a good margin of prospects still to spare who will be seen later in a cleanup drive.

Zorn Wins Honors Today

Team honors for the drive went to Capt. C. A. Zorn's team which reported a total of 50 members for the drive. He was hand-picked for first position by Capt. W. E. Harvey who won second place with a total of 43, losing out in spite of the total of 16 reported today.

Division honors went to Major Honest Bill Newton's division. Major Wray asserted at the noon meeting that this was because Newton had had his help. The claim was left to arbitration.

J. B. Price, campaign director, spoke to the workers following the report on the nature of the month's work of installation which will follow the intensive campaign. This work will begin directly after the holidays and includes the adoption of a new constitution, elections, organization of committees system and the formation of the community program of work.

Workers Thank City.

He said that he and his associate, W. A. Hart, had had a fine time in Ada and thanked the city for the many courtesies as well as the co-operation received in the past month. Ada's greatest asset, he said, is not its water supply, nor its other natural resources, but its men and women. He had never seen a finer spirit in any campaign anywhere than that shown in the past week's work. Ada, with such a spirit will, he prophesied, go far.

Thanks to Messrs. Price and Hart were voiced by Rev. C. C. Morris, who has captained a team in the drive. He said that these men had helped Ada get out of a rut and bespoke for them the gratitude of the community for their pep and skill.

Team standings at the close of the drive were:

Major Newton's Division.

Capt. T. B. Blake-----24

Capt. C. E. Cunningham-----23

Capt. W. E. Harvey-----43

Capt. J. R. Kitchell-----25

Capt. C. C. Morris-----37

Capt. C. A. Zorn-----50

Major Wray's Division.

Capt. J. U. Criswell-----13

Capt. M. M. Harwell-----17

Capt. Harmon Elby-----15

Capt. S. L. McChie-----22

Capt. C. P. Penrose-----10

Capt. J. C. Sparks-----14

Executive Committee-----92

Memberships underwritten-----15

400

New Members Added.

New members reported today were:

Ada Hide and Produce Co., Geo. Alexander, Joe R. Allen, American Oil and Refining Co. (2), A. T. and S. F. Ry., T. W. Bailey, J. L. Barringer, R. E. Blanks, J. Bradshaw, V. L. Buchanan, Carpenter and Kelsey, T. E. Cook, A. D. Coon, G. C. Core, Tal Crawford, Produce Co., A. J. Dixon, E. B. Dodd, J. E. England, R. T. Erwin, L. E. Franklin, R. J. Gargas, A. N. Gregg, E. S. Haraway, L. H. Harrell, Hays School, J. F. Henderson, Hill & Hill, Sam A. Hill, G. C. Hodge, Pat Holley, T. P. Holt, Hynds Grocery.

Somer Jones, W. A. Jones, W. S. Klesay, C. H. Kykendall, J. R. Laughlin, J. W. Lewis, A. Lucas, Miller Bros. W. H. Morris, Motor Sales Co., A. W. Parker, Pontotoc County Abstract Co., H. J. Sarrett, J. A. Smith, Orville Sneed, Spencer Machine Shop, Charles E. Sprague.

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KREISLER, FAMOUS VIOLINIST, MAY BE AUSTRIA'S NEXT AMBASSADOR TO U. S.



Most recent portrait of Fritz Kreisler and Mrs. Kreisler.

That Fritz Kreisler, world famous violinist, may emulate Ignaz Paderewski, noted pianist, in entering international diplomatic affairs, is rumored now. Kreisler is talked of as Austria's new ambassador to this country. Paderewski left his beloved piano to become premier of Poland.

GUILTY, VERDICT RETURNED TODAY

Tahlequah Woman Has Had Stormy Career in Many Court Grillings.

WINFIELD, Kan., Dec. 16.—Mrs. Grace Wilson, of Tahlequah, Okla., on trial here since Monday on a charge of killing her husband, Homer Wilson, was adjudged guilty this morning by a jury that deliberated 18 hours.

The minimum sentence is six months imprisonment and the maximum in three years to be spent in the women's industrial home, Lansing, Counsel for the defense gave notice of a motion for a new trial immediately after the jury reported.

The trial of Mrs. Wilson was another chapter in a life filled with tragedy. She was the wife of Charles West, chairman of the board of county commissioners of Cherokee county, Oklahoma, when he was assassinated in 1915, as he was enroute home one night with his wife in Tahlequah. He was shot in the back. Mrs. Wilson saw the assassin but he was never identified.

After Mrs. West became the wife of Wilson, the latter shot and killed Frank Anthony and his father on the public square of Tahlequah in 1918. Wilson was acquitted the following year. He charged that the younger Anthony had been intimate with Mrs. Wilson while he, Wilson, was in the American army.

Mrs. Wilson shot and killed her husband July 20, 1920, as they were driving in an automobile near Winfield. Her defense was that she fired in self defense.

The shooting followed the recovery of Wilson from knife wounds inflicted in a fight at Winfield. Mrs. Wilson nursed him back to health and his death followed shortly after he was released from the hospital.

NOTICE.

On account of a broken water main, water will be cut off all night in order to make repairs.

12-16-11

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

PAHSON SAY AH OUGHTER MAKE UP A RES'UTION T' GIT LONG WID DE OLE 'OMAN FUM NOW ON, BUT TAIN' NO USE--SHE DONE RES'LUTED T' GIT LONG 'DOUT ME!!



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OKLAHOMA WEATHER

Tonight rain, turning to snow, much colder; Saturday fair, colder except in northwest portion; cold wave, minimum temperature, 20 to 26 degrees.

BRITISH TO ASK ABOLITION PLAN FOR SUBMARINE

French Delegation Upsets Arms Conference Today With a Jolt.

NEED MORE TONNAGE

Other Powers Object To Radical Increase of France's Navy.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Arthur J. Balfour, head of the British delegation, gave notice today that Great Britain would propose to the arms conference the total abolition of submarines.

The announcement said Mr. Balfour would take the submarine question before an open session of the conference thus supporting previous statements in British circles that Great Britain desired an opportunity to "state her case to the world."

British spokesmen have said however, that accepting the 5-5-3 ratio plan was in no way contingent on unfavorable action by the conference on Great Britain's proposal that submarines be abolished as lawful naval weapons.

French Upset Plans.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The French delegation has presented a proposal for so great an increase in the strength of the French navy that the British declare such a program, if carried out, would upset the whole plan for a 5-5-3 naval reduction.

Although not yet entirely revealed, the British understand that the French plans provide for the construction of ten 25,000 ton super-dreadnaughts, in the ten years subsequent to 1925. These vessels, of a type similar to the American battleship Maryland, would give France a capital ship tonnage of 350,000 as against the 315,000 for Japan and a preponderance of the new "post jutland" type carried over all nations.

Italy, although indicating disapproval of such a building program, is said to have told the arms conference that if France constructs ten such ships she must carry out a similar building program.

The combined French and Italian fleets thus would be some 200,000 tons stronger than the British or the American allotments under the recent figures agreed on yesterday by the big three.

Ratios Taken Up.

The question of the French and Italian naval ratios, as compared with the 5-5-3 standard assigned to the United States, Great Britain and Japan, under yesterday's agreement, was taken up by the sub-committee of 15 today.

The French delegation was said to have given as the reason for asking approval of this building program the fact that during the war France had built very few ships and therefore must refit. The British, it was said, recognized the right of the French government to a moderate increase but felt that the present French proposition was in excess and that such an increase was not necessary to France's protection.

The American delegations, the British spokesmen said, also had taken a strong ground against the French proposal, her first objection for economic reasons, holding that the expenditure of so much money would seriously effect the economic recovery of the world. It was added that the Americans agreed that it would change the naval program.

The British spokesmen declared, however, that he had no doubts that the committee of 15 would be able to work out this matter and reach a satisfactory conclusion.

Reed Renews Fight.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Renewing his condemnation of the four power treaty, begun in the senate yesterday, Senator Reed of Missouri, democrat irreconcilable of the Versailles treaty fight, told the senate today that the United States had yielded to Japan tremendous and important mandated points from which to strike at America.

He added that the four power treaty thus submitted has consented to the retention by Japan "of an almost impregnable group of potential naval bases for her defense which virtually would make her immune from attack."

Mr. Reed also seized on the announcement of the naval reduction agreement, stating that "it appeared that the United States leaned to Japan." He asserted that while the American government's navy was being cut, Japan would be permitted to retain the great Mutsu, "a great floating arsenal, exceeding in speed and potentiality anything we have or ever can have for the period of the treaty's life."

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

★ FREE FROM WANT:—The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.—Psalm 23:1.

BEFORE COLUMBUS.

The glory of the achievement of Columbus, like that of Shakespeare, remains in dispute in the minds of some scholarly persons who have neither discovered a continent nor written a drama. Many pre-Columbus discoverers of America have been put forward. Norman, Polish, Basque and Dutch navigators are among those who are said to have ventured across the Atlantic long before Columbus. There is no need to doubt that two Norsemen, Eric and Leif, really reached the mainland and founded a colony, though unfortunately for their lasting honor, it did not survive.

The latest claim, appropriately enough, is now made for Brendon of Clonfert, a perfectly good Irishman. Since he died in 577, he is seen to have antedated Leif and Eric the Red by some 400 years.

It is easy enough to concede that Brendan made the hazardous trip and discovered a continent, as related in the Book of Lismore which chronicles his adventures. His partisans, however, must wish that the story of an Easter celebration on the back of a whale might have been omitted. It confuses the issue.

It is doubtful if any other profession has made the progress in recent years equal to that of journalism. Not only has the press improved in newsgathering facilities, but the tone of the press in general is far head of what it was a few years ago. In the old days every newspaper thought if a row was not going on with somebody it was its sacred duty to stir up one, take sides in every scrap, whether it concerned the paper or not, and above all else to lambast the life out of its competitors. It was a long time before the editors learned that the public wanted news and did not give a hang about what the editors thought of one another. In former days it was thought that any one could run a newspaper of some size. Men who failed at everything else tackled the newspaper game. When some citizen got sore at the editor of his local paper he either started a rival publication or encouraged some one else to do so. The country was overrun with small sheets, run without regard to sound business principles, appealing to the business men for advertising as an act of charity, instead of giving value received, and job work was taken at any price that would keep a competitor from getting it. As a consequence the average editor did not stand very high in business circles, but was regarded as a sort of necessary nuisance. Today it requires some capital to establish and maintain a publishing business and a better class of men are in control. They run their shops on business principles and the public is beginning to realize that it is not different from any other legitimate line. The papers strive to give the news and serve no special interest or faction. The public gets value received and the editors are no longer looked upon as objects of charity.

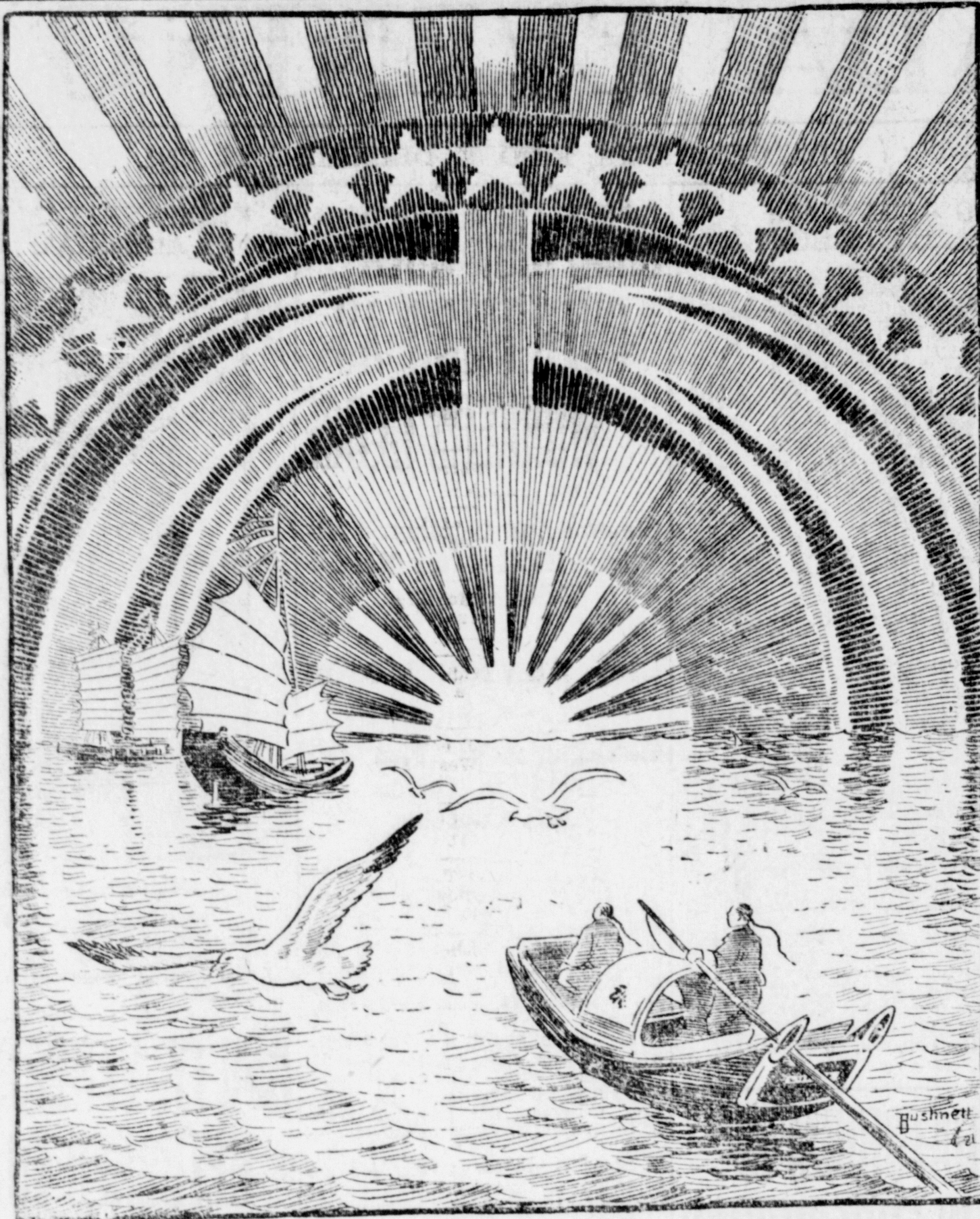
Press dispatches state that owing to dissatisfaction with the figures of the census of 1920 another may be ordered in 1925. The great trouble is that in boosting themselves cities always claim a much larger population than the most careful census shows to exist and then they blame the enumerators. When one figures on the number of houses in a town and estimates the population from that he will likely miss his guess badly. When the enumerator calls and gets the actual number it is often surprising how small the average really is. The pay of a census enumerator in towns is based on the number of inhabitants taken and it is not to be supposed that he will miss very many if he can locate them. The race for high figures on the census reports among towns is responsible for most of the kicks.

The law presumes every man charged with infractions of the statutes innocent until proved guilty. In this connection the News would urge, as his attorneys urge, that the public with hold its judgment in the W. B. Jones case until the new audit of his books has been completed and the courts have spoken. Mr. Jones has enjoyed the confidence of the public many years and is entitled to the consideration of his fellows pending a thorough investigation of the case. The News makes this suggestion in the interest of fair play such as we believe every accused man is entitled to.

Since the dawn of creation the march of civilization has averaged two steps forward and one backward. The journey has been rather slow, but humanity is far above the plane on which it stood when the march began some thousands of years ago.

The four-power pact may not please anyone in every detail, but if it will hasten reduction in disarmament we are for it. Let's have fewer battleships and smaller taxes.

THE FOUR-POWER AURORA BOREALIS OF THE PACIFIC AND FAR EAST.



The Forum of the Press

It Can't Be Done.
(Kansas City Journal)

A number of well meaning Boston ministers have donned overalls and gone down into the trenches of unskilled labor for a day, in order to get what the film folk call a "close-up" of industrial conditions.

The experiment has been tried many times and has always failed as it must always fail under such circumstances. Social workers have tried it at much greater length, but a great many of them have been made the objects of that fundamental suspicion which must always greet those who "don't belong."

Newspaper writers have secured employment under fictitious names in order to get the viewpoint of the toiler. They have gone to jail and even to the penitentiary as pseudo-offenders in order to get the viewpoint of the unfortunate "victim of society" or of his own waywardness, as the case may be regarded.

It can't be done. A man may go to the door of a room, stand on the threshold for a time and see what is going on. He can get a glimpse, but not an adequate viewpoint. Even actual residence for a time in such an environment can result in only a superficial understanding of the facts. It cannot possibly present them as they appear to those who must live indefinitely in that environment.

The man who can at his own volition leave an unsavory post and resume a more pleasant vocation cannot know what is in the mind or the heart of the man who must stick to his job. The minister who can lay down his tools at the end of a day or a week of "tolling side by side with the masses," cannot plumb the depths of one human soul.

The social worker or the newspaper or magazine writer may gain a perfunctory and superficial insight into some of the problems of the toiler or of the unfortunate. But only the toiler or the unfortunate himself can know what it feels, how he looks out at the world, what are his real problems, what are his real grievances, why he hopes or despairs. "Slumming" may have its good points, but it can never hope to place any real problems of industry or economics in the light in which they appear to their victims.

Room for Reform.
Lawton Constitution

A movement has been started in France to eliminate the cough in the theater. This suggests another improvement that theater audiences might bring about with a little co-operation, not to say self-suppression. In a musical show directly behind you there is always someone who insists on running

"Put a Jar in Your Grip
For that Outing Trip"

DRY ZENSAL

For Chigger Bites, Insect Stings,
Cuts and Scratches

Burning, Itching Hives and
Prickly Heat.

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over the tune which the artist on the stage is singing or playing. No statistics as yet have been compiled, yet it would not surprise the hapless victims of these embryonic artists in the audiences to find that 99 out of every hundred never before have heard the tune they are trying to hum or whistle and that 90 out of every hundred, even if they do know the strain, have not been especially endowed in a musical sense. Means of suppression have yet to be discovered, since caustic remarks, baneful looks, stony stares, and a violent twisting around in one's seat so far have all proven ineffectual.

If the dry, breezy cough and the noisy gangle can be eliminated from the French theater why can we not in this country do away with the hummer and the whistler and the candy eaters who indulge in the furtive rustling of a piece of tissue paper covering the innocent piece of candy?

BARTLESVILLE—"Dokkies" of Bartlesville will go to Big Heart Wednesday, December 14, to exemplify the work in the Dramatic Order of the Knights of Khorassan. A big parade will feature the ceremonial at Big Heart.

Christmas Seal your Christmas mail.

SANTA CLAUS WILL MISS NO CHARITY HOMES OF STATE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 16.—Definite assurance that Santa Claus is not to miss the eleemosynary and penal institutions of the state this Christmas is given by the state board of affairs in an announcement that plans have been laid for observance of the day in every institution in the state.

In four institutions, Santa is coming with a pack loaded not only with good things to eat, but with real present for children who are required to spend their holidays in the custody of the state.

A large supply of candies, fruits, and nuts and toys has been arranged for by the board of affairs for the orphans at the state homes at Pryor and Helena, according to George F. Clark, chairman of the board. At the training school for girls at Tecumseh and the training school for boys at Pauls Valley gifts are to be supplied by the Federated Women's clubs of the state, this having been the custom for the last two years. The orphans, however, must look to the state itself for their Christmas gifts and their childish hearts are not to be

disappointed. The board of affairs has a varied assortment of inexpensive toys which are to be shipped to the two state homes where they will be distributed by the superintendents.

At all penal and eleemosynary institutions of the state special Christmas festivities are to be held. Each is arranging its own program, and each is preparing its own menu for the Christmas dinner, according to Mr. Clark. At all state institutions, except those where small children

are confined, the Christmas dinner will be composed mainly of foods which the inmates have produced, Mr. Clark said.

Christmas trees are to top off the celebrations in the two orphan's homes.

Because Christmas comes on Sunday, no special religious exercises are planned, Mr. Clark indicated. Regular Sunday services which are held in all institutions of the state, however, are expected to be in the nature of Christmas observance.

THE ECONOMY BAKING POWDER CALUMET

Calumet possesses the farthest-reaching baking powder economy. It is the most economical leavening agent. It saves in more ways—and makes more important savings than most other baking powders.

You save when you buy it. The price is moderate—it leaves you money over the cost of high-priced brands for purchase of other articles. Costs but little more than cheap powders—far more valuable in quality.

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You'll notice a great difference when you use Calumet. Calumet produces light, sweet, wholesome, flaky bakings. You will notice with some of the cheaper brands the bakings are soggy, heavy, dark in color, and sometimes have a bitter taste.

Used by leading chefs and domestic scientists, and by more housewives than any other brand. Made in the world's largest and finest baking powder plants.

Best by test. A trial proves it.



The Law Says 16 oz. to a Pound

A pound can of Calumet contains full 16 oz. Some baking powders come in 12 oz. cans instead of 16 oz. cans. Be sure you get a pound when you want it.

Ideal Gifts

There's No Gift More Welcome Than Toiletries of Distinction

This of all seasons is the time for prettying up and making the most of our charms. The Toilet Goods Section has some enchanting suggestions to make and some truly wonderful aids to beauty. Perfumes of Oriental richness—of Springtime daintiness—exotically compelling or elusively fragrant. Your personal Perfume preference is here, along with the most reliable Face Powders, Compacts, Rouges and Creams.

Perfumes, 25c to \$3.00 per Bottle
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Bags and Purses Make Practical Gifts—Smart Shapes and Newest Novelties

A piece of fine leather is a fascinating possession, and when fashioned into one of these smart little Hand Bags it becomes a treasure. This holiday collection offers variety unending in the newest shapes and colors. Also delightful novelties in velvets and duvetyns. Prices are specially arranged for gift selection.

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Ladies: Here Are the Keys to the City's Finest Men's Gifts!

So far as fine gifts for men are concerned we don't think there is another display in all Ada that competes with this for detailed completeness.

And in making this statement we are sticking to facts because that is the only way to win the confidence of the city's shrewdest gift buyers.

This is our best Xmas offering and almost every item in stock is on sale at from 1-5 to 1-3 less than regular price.

Christmas Neckwear	50c to \$2.50
Christmas Bath Robes	75c to \$12.50
Christmas Shirts	\$1.00 to \$7.50
Christmas Silk and Woolen Hosiery	25c to \$1.50
Christmas Traveling Bags	\$5.00 to \$45.00

Drummond & Alderson
THE MAN'S STORE

JAP PRIMA DONNA IN AMERICA AGAIN



Mme. Miura.

Mme. Tamaki Miura, the little Japanese soprano, who has sung the part of Cio-Cio San, in Madame Butterfly, with much success, has just arrived in New York from Buenos Ayres. She has been away a year in Europe and South America, and is now on her way to Chicago to join the Chicago Opera company.



IN SOCIETY

Miss McMin Entertains. Miss Blanche McMin entertained a number of her friends at her country home last Saturday night. The room was decorated in beautiful Christmas colors. Guests began appearing at 7:30 and by 8 o'clock everyone was having a good time.

The fun lasted until 11 o'clock and guests declared it their best time of the year. Those present were Misses Bess Fowler, Vera Bevels, Allie Baugh, Mary Nell Tatum, Lola Ennis, Faye and Bessie Bullock, and Messrs. Glen and Curtis Fowler, Eustace McMin, Clive Robertson, Morgan Goodpasture, Opal Bevels, Landon Jackson, and Marvin Campbell.

Simpson Here.

Percy Simpson, formerly a salesman at Simpson's, is in the city for the holidays, visiting the family of R. W. Simpson at the corner of Townsend and Nineteenth. Mrs. Simpson and daughter, Margaret Walker are at the home of her parents in Holdenville and will not get to Ada for a few days.

For several years Percy was a member of the young set of this city. Mrs. Simpson who was Miss Minnie Hancock, was a teacher in the public schools here previous to her marriage. They are now making their home at Hendersonville, North Carolina. Mr. Simpson travels.

Past Matrons Meet.

The Past Matrons' Club of the Order of Eastern Star met last Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Jim Couch at her home 228 1/2 East Main street.

After the study hour the hostess, assisted by Misses Dona Belle Lee and Magdalene Yeargain served delicious refreshments to the following: Mesdames Brents, Lee, Bailey, R. H. Couch, Jim Couch, Galbraith, McNair, McKeel, Powers and Miss Esther Chisholm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Anderson of McAlester are visiting at the home of Jack Moore on East Thirtieth. They will be here for a few days. These popular people lived in Ada for two years and are receiving a hearty welcome back.

Buy Tuberculosis Christmas Seals.

THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says she's sorry to see the question of a minimum wage for women in industry discussed again in the papers and she doesn't believe the cost of living has come down enough yet to justify it.

City Briefs

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Have your Photo made at West's.

Butler Bros. Grocery, 205 East Main. Phone 363. 10-5-1mo

Mrs. Ed Walden of Roff was shopping in Ada this afternoon.

Ada cut glass at Sprague's, 323 West Main St. 12-16-2td

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

Liberty today and Saturday adults 15 cents. 12-16-1t

Mrs. Byron Norrell has been ill for several days.

See Springtime at the Normal this evening. Good singing and dancing. 12-16-1t

Call Thomas Motor Co. for battery service. Phone 163—212 West 12th. 11-23-1t

Dr. A. Linscheid was in Coalgate today attending a county teachers convention.

Gold encrusted emblem rings at Sprague's, 123 West Main St. 12-16-2td

Nine reel show Liberty today and Saturday adults 15 cents. 12-16-1t

WHITE FROST. Soft Wheat Flour of exceptional merit. Ask your grocer for it. 11-19-1tmo

Hear that wonderful singing in Springtime this evening. It is wonderful. 12-16-1t

Mrs. Orville Snead left at noon today for Oklahoma City where she spent the day on business.

Orange Blossom Wedding rings at Sprague's, 123 West Main St. 12-16-2td

Seven reel feature, two reels comedy at Liberty today and Saturday, adults 15 cents. 12-16-1t

Shelton sells Furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1t

Thomas Motor Co., parts and service for all makes of automobiles. Phone 162—212 West 12th. 11-29-1t

Thomas P. Holt returned Thursday evening from Pauls Valley where he was looking after legal business.

We have a line of silk underwear and kimonas that makes lovely gifts. 12-16-2td

The Junior Class of the Normal has succeeded in presenting a dramatic masterpiece. Don't miss the show this evening, last chance. Normal at 8 o'clock. 12-16-1t

Hemstitching, button making and plaiting.—Ada Hemstitching Shop, Phone 51. 12-2-1tmo

Prof. A. L. Fentem will leave tomorrow for Oklahoma City where he will attend a meeting of representatives of eight high schools, composing the southwestern conference.

Don't forget the admission for adults is only 15cents at the Liberty today and Saturday. 12-16-1t

A lot of beautiful and useful Christmas gifts for m-lady's Christmas. 12-16-2td

Five reel feature and two reel comedy for 10 cents at the Liberty today and tomorrow. 12-14-4t

Dr. Spence, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist. Glasses fitted. Shaw Bldg., Ada Okla. 11-16-1t

Mrs. Anna Ingram, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Porter and Oklahoma City for the past three months, arrived home last night.

Several pairs of the best shoes and slippers closing out at \$2.95.—Burk's Style Shop. 12-16-2td

Only one more opportunity to see Springtime. Be at the Normal this evening at 8 o'clock and avail yourself of a wonderful opportunity. 12-16-1t

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, proprietor. 8-5-1t

Special on ladies and children's house slippers \$1.45 and \$95c.—Burk's Style Shop. 12-16-2td

Beginning December 19, stores of Ada will remain open until 9 o'clock at night until Saturday night, December 24, J. E. Williams, secretary of the local retailers, announced Friday.

Shelton sells furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1t

The ideal Xmas gift is a Eureka with a free set of attachments. Consumers Appliance Co. 12-20td

Buy her a charming silk dress. All new novelties, Canton crepe and Rashnara crepe—charmuse or satin.—Burk's Style Shop. 12-16-2td

Plainview Dairy, Phone RM-25.—A. B. Myers, proprietor. 8-5-1t

Springtime at the Normal Thursday evening was pronounced the greatest home talent play in the history of the institution. Did you see it? It will be given again this evening. Be there. 12-16-1t

Make her happy with a new blouse, a clever little choker of Stone Martin, Natural Fitch, Mink, etc., or a box of beautiful silk hose.—Burk's Style Shop. 12-16-2td

Moonshine Anti-Freeze for your car can't be frozen.—Ada Service

ADA CAGERS HARD AT TRAINING FOR KONAWA GAMES

Coaches of basketball at the high school were today giving their teams a final work-out, stressing practice in weak points and making ready for the games to be played with Konawa high school Saturday night, beginning at 7:30. Two games will be played, one between the boys' team of the two schools and the other between the girls' teams.

While the invading boys' team has the advantage of Cox's men according to dope, the local girls have an edge on the visiting girls. Cox has been putting forth an effort to get a team that will make it interesting for the visitors, and reports that his men have been working hard.

The record of the Konawa team is as follows:

Konawa 29, Wanette 14.
Konawa 23, Ada 20.
Konawa 38, Tecumseh 22.
Konawa 28, Wanette 19.
Konawa 40, Tupelo 12.

The only game lost was with Wewoka high school. Cox's men have been playing in the city league. They lost one game to Holdenville high school and one to Francis high school.

In District Court.

Three cases were entered yesterday in the district court. They are: State of Oklahoma, on the relation of S. P. Freeling, attorney general vs. W. B. Jones, writ of ouster; Walter N. Wray vs. G. M. Ledbetter, foreclosure of lien; in re. appeal from Dave and Frank Owens, appellants vs. Agnes Dana and C. C. Lynch, appeal from county court and determination of heirship.

and Filling Station. 12-8-1mo

Thomas Motor Co., authorized Gould Battery sales and service, Phone 163—212 West 12th. 11-29-1t

We loan you a battery free of charge while we repair your battery, all work guaranteed in writing.—Kit Carson, Phone 124, 119 North Broadway. 9-15-1mo

Our service includes skillful repair work on all makes of batteries, you can rely on reasonable advice and reasonable prices here.—Kit Carson, Phone 124, 119 North Broadway. 9-15-1mo

BORAH WOULD CANCEL EUROPEAN WAR DEBT

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Senator William E. Borah, declared in an address last night that he would vote in the senate for cancellation of every dollar of Europe's war debt to this country if Europe would "put herself right" by revising the Versailles treaty so that the "masses of her people would benefit in the original spirit of the peace."

Wine is made from cocoanut flowers.

McSWAIN THEATRE TODAY

DOROTHY DALTON

"BEHIND MASKS"

A Paramount

Picture.

Filled with the flare of "high life" and luxury; shimmering with lovely gowns.

Coming Saturday

Gladys Walton

"High Heels"

The foot of the original species of the horse was little larger than that of a fox.

ON SALE
Monday, Dec. 19th
at 1 p. m.

Beautiful assortment of Cut Glass which will be on display Sunday and Monday in our show window. Former prices ranged from \$3 to \$10 each.

Your Choice
\$1.50
DUNCAN BROS.
JEWELERS

LIBERTY

Today and Saturday
GEORGE ARLISS

"DISRAELI"

From his celebrated
Stage success

A story of treason and intrigue, youthful love and domestic devotion—full of action and with suspense that holds you to the very end of the story.

Snub Pollard Comedy

"HIGH ROLLERS"
and
Aesop's Film Fables

Special Prices Today
and Tomorrow
Adults 15c, Children 10c

One Week Left: Shop Now!



You can still use your own deliberation in selecting gifts if you will take full advantage of Saturday and Monday. You remember all Christmas—four or five days before, in which gift seekers crowd and jam the store—so avoid the last few days of hectic rush! Come now!



Nowhere will you find such a wide and varied collection of useful gifts for the "Him" as you will see in our Men and Boys' Department. Gifts that possess the quality and appreciation from the giver comprise our hundreds of gifts for the Men. Come and let us tell you about their funny notions and peculiar vanities.

SAVING MONEY

On Our Christmas Reduction Sale of Men's and Boys' Clothing

You will not need a pencil to figure the great savings to every man and boy who buys a Suit or Overcoat here during this great Holiday Sale. At the Shaw reductions you can purchase a Suit or Overcoat now, greatly less than our Spring prices.

Boys' Suits and Overcoats
\$6.95 to \$12.50

Men's Suits and Overcoats
\$19.50, \$24.50, \$29.50

For the Boy

Wooly Boy Suits,
Bath Robes, Ties,
Overcoats, Hose,
Underwear, Caps,
Tie Pins, Books,
Reefers, Gloves.

—or a Cozy,
Warm Gift

Bath Robes in all
designs and colors,
especially lowered
for Christmas.

\$4.95 to \$11

Military Sets

in Ivory and Ebony,
from 2 to 15 piece
sets

\$4.95 up

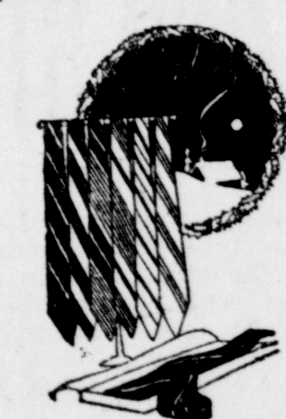
House Slippers

\$1.98

Men's Dress Shirts

Three hundred of our prettiest patterns of Men's Madras Shirts, worth up to \$3, including many Arrow Shirts.

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An Old Gift—But Much Appreciated

Hundreds of them, just received and bought especially for the Xmas giver, in all shapes, Milano Silks, heavy Crepes, knitted ties, in the new stripe and bar design, especially priced for the giver.

50c to \$1.45

For the Man

Jewelry, Cravats,
Mufflers, Pajamas,
Hose, Bath Robes,
Shirts, House
Slippers, Gloves,
Books, Etc.

—or His Gift
a Pair of
Kid Gloves

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Gloves in tan,
brown, black,
champagne, etc.

\$1.00 up

Silk Hose
50c up

Silk Knit
Reefers

In black, grey,
white, fancy, etc.

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All your life you have
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SINGLE GAME IS BOOKED TONIGHT IN CITY LEAGUE

For the first time since the city league opened its schedule a double header basket ball game was not booked to be played tonight. The teams battling tonight are the high school and business college. Both teams have been defeated this season, the Business College losing both of its games.

The games will be called early to give those who want to attend the junior class play an opportunity to do so. It is expected that short halves will be played. These two teams are equally enough matched to make an interesting contest. Newcomb, of the Business College, has been playing a leading game at forward. Potts, at guard for the high school, has been showing up well. Team work of Gregg, Molloy, Rayburn and Potts is good. Wilsey, forward is showing up good in throwing free goals, getting fifty percent in his last game, which is the highest average that has been made this year.

Van Meter and Dew will start the game at guards for the business college. They have played enough together to work out a team work plan which is proving effective on the defensive. Branscome and Pugh will probably complete the line-up, both having played fairly good basket ball up to date.

TIMBERLAKE FUNERAL HELD THIS AFTERNOON

The four banks of the city were closed from 1 o'clock for the remainder of the day this afternoon on account of the funeral services of M. D. Timberlake. The mercantile establishments closed at 1:30 and remained closed until 4 o'clock. The funeral was held at 2:30 at the family residence, 105 East Sixteenth street, Rev. H. M. Wood, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating. A great concourse of citizens of Ada, as well as from the other towns in this section where the deceased was well known, gathered to witness the last rites. Burial took place at Rosedale cemetery immediately after the services at the residence.

Local Man Is Held On Two Charges of Attack With Shovel

L. E. Jones, charged in two complaints with assault with a dangerous weapon, was bound over to the district court yesterday by Justice of the Peace H. J. Brown under two bonds of \$750 each. Jones made bail in both cases.

The defendant, it was alleged, attacked two workmen on a construction job here several weeks ago, knocking both unconscious with a shovel. Preliminary in the case had been set twice before but was continued each time because of Jones' absence from the city. Two weeks ago when witnesses gathered to give testimony in the case, Jones was said to have been in Arkansas.

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ADA SCHOOL NEWS

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Willard Girls Win
Against Hays Team

Friday was indeed a red letter day for our school. During the day we had as visitors Mesdames McClure, Luther, Saunders, Cooper, Franks, Hamp, Story and Mr. Saunders.

Immediately after school Friday our first team of girls' basketball met the girls' team of Hays at the College court where one of the best games of the season was played. After a hard fight the Willard girls won by a score of 16-12.

Following this game our second team of girls played Washington in a close game with a score of 20-18 in favor of Willard.

Friday evening about fifty of our boys and girls accompanied by Mr. Bolton and Miss Kennon and Miss Chisholm were taken over to Glenwood school by Mr. Dodds in his truck. We were cordially met by the Glenwood school after a very good program. A spelling match between the two schools was held. There were twenty-seven on each side. After spelling for about one hour and a half the Glenwood side was all down, leaving thirteen on our side. This visit will ever be a pleasant memory to all those who were fortunate enough to be in the crowd. Willard won 48-0.

Mr. Byars Chapman donated three Christmas trees to our school.

Mary and Helen Patterson are absent on account of sickness.

Noland Hall is away from school on account of illness.

Vera and Gladys Brinlee are absent on account of sickness.

We are very grateful to the College for the use of the gym for our basketball games Friday afternoon.

The Literary Society in the eighth grade rendered a short program

Friday afternoon. As a result we discovered that we have some good debaters in our midst. The subject, "Resolved that John Alden was justified in undertaking the errand for Miles Standish" was splendidly handled by affirmative: Betty Buercklin and Louis Thomas; negative, Elizabeth Wimbish and Guy Sadler. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. We also found Noland Hall is of a poetic nature.

The first and second team of girls' basketball played Glenwood on their court Wednesday afternoon. The score was 9-5 in Glenwood's favor; second team, 16-6 Willard's favor.

Second Grade.
Leighly Lee Bond was absent from school this week on account of sickness.

Third Grade.
Charles Drummond re-entered school after a week's illness. Ruth Coon presented a Victrola with eight new "baby" records.

First Grade.
Matherson and Ruth Yates were out this week on account of sickness.

Fourth Grade.
The second team of the fourth grade defeated the third grade team of baseball Thursday.

Garland Garwood and Frank Wilson Chambers are absent on account of illness.

Twelve little girls of Willard school took part in the musical comedy, "Springtime" being given at the College this week.

Washington To Meet
Hays Spellers Today

Washington pupils will spell Hays school this afternoon at 2:30 at the Washington school building.

Mesdames Spencer, Brown and Coffman were visitors at Washington school last Friday.

Seventh grade boys and girls enjoyed an outing Wednesday afternoon after work was over, with Miss Purvine. The treat came as a reward for good attendance, 25 pupils of this room not being absent or tardy during the month. There are 34 enrolled.

Arthur Lee Jones has moved to Bonham, Texas.

Hilton Newton moved this week to El Reno where he will enter school.

Hays School Plans To
Beautify Its Grounds

Hays basketball boys defeated Washington school in a hard fought game Wednesday afternoon in the High school gymnasium by a score of 20 to 4.

Mothers' club of Hays school met Friday, December 9. Mrs. Riddling was elected secretary to fill a vacancy left by Mrs. Warren's resignation.

The mothers voted to meet regularly on the second Friday of each month at 2:45 p. m.

A committee was appointed to purchase two pictures for the school. They also decided to have the campus improved by filling in some low places, and enriching the Bermuda grass plot, also removing a strip about two foot wide next to the building that was filled in with brick and sticks. This is to be filled in with good soil and next spring flowers will be planted.

GLENWOOD CUBS WILL
STAGE 'POSSUM HUNT'

Boys of Pack No. 1, Wolf Cubs, at Glenwood school, will go tonight for a 'possum hunt if the weather permits. All boys have been instructed to come with good heavy shoes for hiking.

If rain prevents the 'possum hunt, Glenwood Cubs will meet at the building as usual and a good program of games will be carried out.

11 MILLION FOR

(Continued from Page One)
Hillsboro river, \$2,000; Apalachicola bay \$18,156; Apalachicola river \$17,000; Upper Chipola river \$7,500; Channel Apalachicola river to St. Andrews bay \$47,000; St. Andrews bay \$87,000; Choctawhatchee river, Florida and Alabama, \$9,300; Narrows Santa Rosa sounds \$7,000; and Pensacola harbor \$20,000.

Alabama.
Channel Mobile bay to Mississippi sounds \$20,000; Alabama river \$75,000; Coosa river \$5,000; Black Warrior, Warrior and Tombigbee rivers \$114,500; Tombigbee river, mouth to Demopolis \$40,000; Demopolis to Walkers bridge \$2,000; Tennessee river, below Riverton, \$159,400; Hales Bar to Browns Island, \$155,680; Florence to Colbert Shoals \$50,000.

Tennessee.
Tennessee River above Chattanooga, \$20,000 and Chattanooga to Riverton \$30,000.

Mississippi
Gulfport Island and Ship Island pass, \$100,000; Biloxi harbor, \$10,000; Pascagoula harbor, \$25,000; and Pascagoula river \$4,000; Tallahatchie and Cold Water rivers, \$10,000; Yazoo river, \$16,000; Big Sunflower river \$12,000 and Steele and Washington Bayous and Lake Washington, \$2,500.

Arkansas.
Red River, below Fulton \$25,000; Arkansas river, Arkansas and Oklahoma \$33,500; White river \$19,500; Black river Arkansas and Missouri \$20,600; Current river, Arkansas and Missouri \$7,575 and St. Francis and L'Angeville rivers and Black Fish bayou \$7,800.

APPERSON—Apperson, new oil town in western Osage county, is to have a wholesale grocery and produce house soon. It has been announced by a Kansas firm. Erection of a two story tile building will be started immediately.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

OKLAHOMA SETS
NEW RECORD IN
XMAS TURKEYS

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 16.—More Oklahoma turkeys are to play a leading role in Christmas dinners throughout the United States this year than ever before, according to John A. Whitehurst, president of the state board of agriculture. Southwestern Oklahoma, always a large producer of turkeys, has set a new record this year, and already refrigerator freight cars are carrying the holiday fowls to eastern markets by the thousands, he said.

One of the principal shipping points for the turkey section is Clinton, Custer county. From this and other cities in the area large shipments are going daily to Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and New York. The turkeys are killed and picked locally, and collected in shipping centers largely by auto-

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U. S. LOOKS INTO
SLICK OIL FIELD
TO LIMIT WASTE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 16.—An investigation of the underground conditions of the Slick oil field near Bristow, Okla., has been undertaken by the United States bureau of mines, according to an announcement from Washington received here. The bureau's purpose is to lessen waste of oil and gas by instructing operators as to the best way of drilling as revealed by the examination.

The survey is being made by F. X. Schwarzenbeck, assistant petroleum technologist, and J. H. Cable, assistant petroleum engineer, both from the Washington bureau. Funds for the investigation, which is expected to be completed by May 1, 1922, are provided by the state of Oklahoma. The announcement from Washington says that at a later date a report on the investigation will be prepared.

Further work of the bureau in the interest of the oil industry in Oklahoma is being carried on at Bartlesville and Drumright, the announcement said. At the bureau's petroleum experimental station at Bartlesville an investigation of pipeline losses from evaporation has just been completed on the trunk pipeline of the Gulf Production company, and a similar investigation of the Sinclair company's pipeline has been started.

A series of tests have also been made at Bartlesville to determine the pressure developed in tank cars containing natural gas, gasoline of 8-pound vapor tension, and a similar test has been made at Drumright on gasoline of 10-pound pressure. The tests were to determine the difference in hazard of handling

of 8-pound tension as compared with that allowed by the regulations of the bureau of explosives. Arrangements have also been made to determine the temperatures and pressures developed in insulated and non-insulated cars in transit.

Another investigation is being made on a lease in Osage county to determine the effect of regulated back pressure on the production of oil. The result thus far on two wells indicate there is little difference in the effect of production from back pressure of 30 pounds as compared with 15 pounds. The announcement says that it is possible there will be a more noticeable difference at a greater depth.

Scouts Hike Today
To Cement Company
To Watch Processes

Starting from scout headquarters immediately after school Friday afternoon, with plenty of lunch, including wienies, pickles, bread, etc., all Boy Scouts of Ada with their scout masters will hike to the O. K. Portland Cement plant where Chief Chemist O. A. Bayless will personally conduct the scouts through the entire plant, and explain how cement is made. After the inspection of the plant the scouts, through the kindness of Manager Merle Matthews, will have a big camp fire on the north side of the plant, for the convenience of the boys.

Boxing, wrestling, water boiling contests and potato races will be some of the stunts pulled by the scouts. All scouts wishing to make this trip should meet at the scout headquarters immediately after school.

Christmas Seal your Christmas mail.

BIG FIVE RULING
MARKETS IN MEAT

Ft. Worth Man Urges That
Duty Be Placed on All
Beef Products.

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The "big five" packers, by use of their South American products, are able to "manipulate and control" the American meat market, George W. Armstrong, a cattle raiser of Fort Worth, Texas, testified before the senate finance committee in urging a duty to "cover all the products of steer beef, hides and live calves."

"The packers can put the market up or down as they please," Mr. Armstrong said, "by bringing in beef from South America to control the situation here. I am not unfriendly to the packers. They are no worse than any other man."

"I do say, however, that the power to manipulate the market is too much power for them to have. They control the packing plants of the world, particularly in South America, and I think the government will have to further than the tariff to meet the situation."

The witness said there should be regulation of the packers and that they should be required to do the retailing, adding that "the retailers undoubtedly are doing most of the profiteering."



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This statement was made the other day by Mrs. A. J. French, residing at 316 First street, N. E., Ardmore, wife of a prominent Presbyterian minister. Continuing she said: "For six years my health had been wretched. I suffered with stomach trouble, disordered blood and was in a general run-down condition. My kidneys also gave me a lot of trouble. My blood was in such bad condition I was broken out all over my body. My face and hands were dreadfully swollen at times, which was caused by the condition of my kidneys. My stomach was so disordered nearly everything I ate disagreed with me, I had such dizzy

spells and swimming of the head at times that I was afraid to go out on the street. I was weak and felt just awful day and night. I tried all kinds of medicines and was treated by specialists in Oklahoma City, but the only relief I got was temporary."

"The results I obtained from Puratone have been marvellous. I have only been taking this medicine a short time and I don't feel like the same woman. The most wonderful thing about it is the way my skin has cleared up. I am not nervous like I was and for the first time in years I am able to sleep soundly all night. The dizzy spells and head swimming have entirely ceased; my stomach seems to be in perfect condition and my entire system has been wonderfully strengthened."

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FOR RENT—Five-room modern house, close in. See Wick Adair. 12-14-3t*

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms, 290 South Constant; cheap. 12-16-2t*

FOR RENT—Five-room bungalow to small family; high school avenue. Phone 362-J after 6 o'clock. 12-16-2t*

FOR RENT—Five-room modern house on East 7th \$25 per month. See Dandridge & Kerr, Shaw Bldg. 12-16-3t*

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FOR RENT—Six-room modern house on West 5th, near Irving school and Oak avenue Baptist church. E. N. Jones, phone 192-J or 621. 12-15-2t*

LOST

LOST—Thursday afternoon on West 12th pink cameo brooch. Finder please return to Mrs. Geo. Harrison, 111 West 12th. 12-16-2t*

LOST—On Main after meeting Frisco south 1:35 p. m. black leather hand bag with name "John Cline, Wetumka" on tag. Phone 890. 12-14-3t*

NINETEEN CITIZENS ARE CHARGED WITH MURDER

(By The Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 16.—Charges of "having killed or being concerned in the killing of Peeler Clayton," taxi-cab driver, who was shot to death last night, were filed in Justice of the Peace George Mondell's court this morning against 19 citizens of Austin. The list includes several of the most prominent men of the city and all are citizens of good reputation.

Sub-Committee Rests.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The sub-committee on naval limitation adjourned after a three hour discussion today until tomorrow without announcing any conclusion.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Buggy, practically new. Phone 596-R. 12-15-6t*

FOR SALE—Mistletoe and Xmas trees, one door South Fire Station. 12-15-6t*

FOR SALE—First class cafe or will trade for city property. Address X in care of News. 12-14-3t*

FOR SALE—Baby buggy in good condition. Phone 928 or call 320 East Twelfth. 12-15-2t*

CAR of cows with young calves and heavy springers for sale.—V. M. Cole, Durant, Okla. 12-16-4t*

FOR SALE—5 passenger Ford A-1 condition. Cheap for cash. 315 East 12th. 12-16-2t*

FOR SALE—Reed baby buggy in good condition. Phone 870.—Mrs. A. B. Mears. 12-16-3t*

FOR SALE—Apartment house and six lots cheap. Special reasons for selling. 217 South Stockton. 12-16-3t*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Seven room modern bungalow on East 14th and good paying furniture business. Want a good farm. E. W. Walker, 111 West 12th. 12-16-6t*

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WANTED—Cottonwood blocks, loaded on Frisco tracks. Apply E. M. Hanner, Francis, Okla. 12-10-6t*

WANTED—Tires and tubes to repair. McCarty Bros., Phone 855. 10-24-1mo*

WANTED—Your old mattresses to work over, 400 East 12th. Phone 170. Ada Mattress Co., Pawnee, S. D. 12-16-1t*

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Traces of many diseases still prevalent have been found in mummies 3,000 years old.

COFFEY SUFFERED FOR THIRTY YEARS

"For the first time in over thirty years I know what it is to feel like work and what it means to sit down to a meal and eat things like pie, cake, onions, and cabbage without suffering misery afterwards," said E. W. Coffey, Garland, Tex.

"I certainly took a mighty good medicine to reach my case of stomach trouble because it had bothered me for over thirty years, but I can say for Tanlac it did me more good than all the other medicines I have taken put together."

"Anybody who has had stomach trouble in a bad form knows what I must have suffered during all these years and how gratified I feel to be at last able to enjoy my meals again. I am like a child again now, can do a hard day's work on the farm and I just feel fine all the time."

Tanlac is sold in Ada by M. A. Waits and all leading druggists. (adv)

BRITISH TO ASK

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"Only a little has been permitted to dribble out of the secret session of the conference," the Missouri senator continued. "But enough has come from the dark mystery of the meeting that it sees the occidental mind is diplomatically no match for the Oriental in skill and chicanery."

Sheep Herdress In Breach of Promise Suit at Ponca City

(By The Associated Press)
PONCA CITY, Dec. 16.—Half a day and a panel of 40 men were used in district court to select a jury to try a breach of promise suit brought by Mabel Harris (now Branstetter) of Pawhuska against A. D. Harris, wealthy rancher of Ponca City for \$100,000. The case was tried at the November term and the jury was discharged when it failed to agree.

The former trial was one of the most sensational ever heard in Kay county, court attaches declared. The girl alleges that at the age of 15, while she was herding sheep on Harris' ranch near Burbank in the Osage, he made love to her and promised to marry her. This, her petition claims, he later refused to do.

Harris is now 52 years of age and the girl is now 22. She has been married to a Pawhuska man since the case first was filed.

JUDGE HOLDS WOMAN IS NOT FOOT WASHER
(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Mrs. Katherine Renne of Jamesville, Wis., testified before Judge Grimm that one of her household duties for the past five years has been to wash the feet of her husband, George.

The court granted her a divorce. "These not being Bible times, a husband should wash his own feet," said Judge Grimm.

SPANISH BOAT CAPTURES TWO FRENCH ARMS RUNNERS

(By The Associated Press)
MADRID, Spain, Dec. 16.—The Spanish gunboat Bonifaz, has captured two French sailing vessels which were conveying consignments of arms and munitions to the Moroccan insurgents and sunk another vessel found in the occupation, according to an official report received here today.

British Ratify Irish Pact.
(By The Associated Press)
LONDON, Dec. 16.—Both houses of the British parliament ratified the treaty creating the Irish Free State by an overwhelming majority this afternoon.

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LODGES

I. O. O. F.—Ada Lodge No. 146, regular meeting every Thursday.—R. W. White, N. G.; H. C. Evans, Sec'y.

B. P. O. E.—Ada Lodge No. 1276 meets second and fourth Monday nights in each month.—H. Claude Pitt, secretary.

A. O. U. W.—Lodge No. 40 meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month.—J. B. Emory, Secretary.

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.—John Thrasher, W. M.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 26 Roy al Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—A. Stauffer, H. P.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandry No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday night of each month.—M. F. Manville, R. C.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Magnolia Lodge No. 145, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting knights cordially invited.—P. L. Finley, Chancellor; Commander; J. W. Westbrook, K. R. S.

Wilson Was Invited At Last Minute To Parade, Nov. 11th

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T. A. Starr, of Sutherland Lumber Co. (3), M. C. Taylor and Co. (2), A. J. White, O. B. Wilson (2), Robert Wimlish, J. G. Witherspoon, Wozencraft Drug Co.

(Special.)—The inside story of just how former President Woodrow Wilson was finally invited to take a place in the great march behind the body of the unknown soldier, at Washington, on Armistice day was told for the first time here by Rev. Burns Jenkins, of Kansas City, who spoke before the Woodrow Wilson Foundation committee. Dr. Jenkins was there and spoke as one who actually knew what occurred.

At the meeting of official Washington which discussed those who were to take part in the march Mr. Wilson was left out. One woman left the meeting in disgust, stating that if Mr. Wilson, the Commander-in-chief of the American army, during the war, and himself a casualty, was not invited to take a place in the line of march she would not either, but would go out to his home if just by herself and honor him as best she could by standing before his home in reverence all day long. This woman placed a small local item in one of the Washington newspapers stating what she was going to do and all who would do as she did about it, to meet her at the home of Wilson on the morning of Armistice day. The result was that early on that morning streets were jammed for four blocks each way from the Wilson home with people and standing room was at a premium.

It was during this time that Hamilton Holt made the speech to the president that was heralded with applause all round the globe. Some one seeing this great demonstration, quietly went to those who were in charge and related what was happening with the result that Mr. Wilson was invited to march in the parade, at the last moment, but when he arrived, no place or any conveyance had been provided for him. Mr. Wilson said, "any place will do for me," and guided his carriage to the rear. Then it was that the tail of the parade began to wag the whole shebang as Mr. Wilson's efforts to quiet the crowds who cheered to the echo.

Christmas Seal your Christmas mail.

Prominent Doctor After Trying Out All Other Chill Tonics Says Mendenhall's Best

Dr. R. S. Pierce, proprietor city pharmacy, Marranna, Fla., writes: "A few years ago when I purchased this drug store I found six dozen bottles Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Tonic in stock and it was totally unknown to the trade. I noted on the circular the quinine strength and placed it in the hands of a number of my patients to try it out. They were so universally pleased with the preparation I decided to try it in my own family and my wife now will use no other for our children."

Sold by Gwin & Mays Drug Co. (adv)

BARTLESVILLE—Edward Parker Stone, 18 years old, who died Tuesday night, is thought to be the first Ku Klux Klan here. At his funeral a large wreath with the letters "K. K. K." was placed on the coffin. A card attached read "Bartlesville Klan No. 6."

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REFERENDUM VOTE ON MINE STRIKE COMING

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 15.—Ballots for a referendum on the question of continuing support of striking Kansas miners will be in the hands of the miners within a week, Frank Farrington, president of the Illinois miners, announced today.

BARTLESVILLE—All dairies furnishing milk to Bartlesville are in a sanitary condition, according to a report of the sanitary inspector. There are twenty-nine dairies having 275 cows, in this vicinity.

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Howat Strikers In Jail Upon Charges Of Ignoring Laws

COLUMBUS, Mo., Dec. 16.—Two Howat strikers are in jail here facing charges of violation of the picket law in connection with the march of miners on the Newland Mine at Stippville, north of Columbus, this morning.

The pair were leaders of a band of about 20 strikers who appeared at the mine and attempted to "pull out" the miners at work. The mine resumed operations today.

It is easily possible to have your greetings of Flowers, or Blooming Plants, delivered promptly in far away places on Christmas morning.

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SIMPLY PHONE 449

Ada Greenhouse
Ada, Oklahoma

Local Talent Scores Big Success First Night With "Springtime" at College

Glory has certainly perched upon the entertainment committee of the junior class of East Central Teachers college since the staging last night of "Springtime" in the first of a two nights stand at the College auditorium.

It was a "scream" from the first to last, and the audience laughed and rolled through two and a half hours of the most artistic and wholesome fun that probably has ever been put upon a local stage by local talent.

And then, what was equally satisfactory, was the fact that every item or atom of talent was drawn from Ada, there not being an importation in the entire mass which included, on the committee's estimation, more than 250 people.

Mirth and melody, beauty of costume and scenery, a kaleidoscope movement of beautiful pictures and postures and colors, a delight to the eye and ear.

And then what was most pleasing was the freshness and joyousness of the people who presented the delightful musical comedy, they being "our" boys and girls, young men and maidens and the kiddies whose presence on the stage made it look a picture drawn from fairyland.

The audience, filled practically every seat in the auditorium. The appreciation of this large and enthusiastic audience was evidenced by the manner in which they received each part and situation, and the applause that greeted the special numbers. The John B. Rogers Producing company put the play

on and the rehearsals were personally directed by Torrey T. McKinney, while Miss Willetta Kittell presided as pianist, assisted by the college orchestra.

Chorus Well Received.

One of the features of especial interest was the opening chorus, consisting of eight couples from the high school. These young students were at their best, paving the way for a delightful success of the entire play in their manner of staging the opening number.

The dancing of the young Thespians was extremely graceful. The Madri Gras, the July Scene, the Springtime Group, the Rainbow Chorus the Spirits of Memory, all were fine, each adding its part to a delightful completeness. The part of Mrs. Elkins, one of the leading ladies, was played by Miss Nell Hodge. The story of the play was related by Mrs. Elkins to the three girls, played by Misses Anna Louise Shaw, Velma Lee Mount and Willie McNew.

Kathleen Brock as Zenobia, W. M. Emanuel as James Brewster, Mrs. Ruth S. Carter as Thankful Standish, Arthur Harrison as Jack Winright, Hubert Priest as Bobbie Brewster, Dorothy Duncan as Priscilla Brewster, Louise Cronwell as the Minister, Pauline Knotts as the Spanish dancer, Grace Shelton Payne as Elvira Judd, Grace Harrison as Abigail Thompkins, and Ruth Mount as Primrose Standish, played leading parts. This cast was supported by a host of other minor characters in groups.

The play will be given again this evening in the college auditorium. The committee in charge was today busy with preparations for the second staging. The reputation of "Springtime", which has met with howling success in every large city where it has been produced, did not suffer in Ada, even the most skeptical critics declare.

UTAH GIRL BEATS BROTHER OUT FOR PLACE AS MAYOR

(By the Associated Press)

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 16.—Miss Steen Scrup, a high school English teacher, who recently defeated her brother P. C. Scrup for the post of mayor of Salina, Utah, declared she intends to advocate good roads and an improved water system.

Miss Scrup said she did not want to win the election but her brother is glad he lost and was the first to congratulate the new head of the city government.

"I did nothing to bring about success for my race for the mayoralty," Miss Scrup said. "I even campaigned for my brother." In spite of this the brother was defeated by fourteen votes.

Miss Scrup was born at Salina and has taught school there for fifteen years. She said she always considered it a citizen's duty to accept nomination for public office and decided to accept the nomination offered her because she thought it was her duty to do so and also because she felt her acceptance would at least add variety and novelty to the life of the town.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

REDUCED RATES HELD FOR GRAIN

Last Year Schedule Is Cut More Than 16 Percent By Commission.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Reduction in rates of grain, grain products and hay in transmission in the Mississippi Valley territory which the carriers sought to have suspended were sustained by the interstate commerce commission today and will go into effect on December 27. The reductions average about 16 1-2 per cent of the 1920 grain rates and further decreases by the commission's order today require that corn and other coarse grains be carried for ten per cent less than wheat and breadstuffs and smaller grain.

The commission's original order for reduction was issued October 20 and was based on the petition of 15 western states and a number of agricultural organizations.

Railroads opposed the reduction asking for a rehearing and voluntarily offered a reduction generally throughout the United States, except in the New England states, of ten percent on all agricultural products which they said should be considered a substitute for the grain reduction. The rehearing was concluded Wednesday and the commission's final decision was announced today. Further suspension of rates, it was said, can now be obtained only by a court order in case an appeal from the commission's action is taken by the railroads.

MORATORIUM IS

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The reply of the allied reparations commission to the German note will be forwarded to Berlin tonight by a special courier.

The reply was simply an acknowledgment of Germany's notification of her inability to meet the payments, the commission reserving final decision on her request for an extension of the time limit.

Sapulpa and Pryor High Schools Meet For Gridiron Title

(By the Associated Press)

TULSA, Dec. 16.—Sapulpa and Pryor high schools meet here this afternoon to decide the state high school football championship. The kick-off is scheduled for 2:45 at McNulty park.

Both teams have gone through the season without a defeat and by a process of elimination had undisputed right to decide the state title between themselves.

Pryor Determined

MUSKOGEE, Dec. 16.—Expressing determination "to do or die" in their supreme athletic effort of the year — their game with the Sapulpa high school at Tulsa today, upon the outcome of which hangs the state high school championship, the Pryor high school team, supported by 250 loyal rooters, passed through Muskogee this morning on a special train.

COLD WAVE WILL SURPRISE STATE IS NEW ADVICE

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 16.—Another cold wave, with prospects of rain turning to snow, is in store for Oklahoma, the weather bureau announced this morning. The north portion of the state is expected to feel the drop in temperature this afternoon when the wind swings into the north. Minimum temperatures of from 20 to 26 degrees are forecast for Saturday night.

Last night scattered showers fell over the central portion of the state, according to the weather bureau's reports, but they were not sufficient to be of material benefit. The precipitation in Oklahoma City was .01 inch.

Shooting at Wilson Thursday Night Is Under Investigation

(By the Associated Press)

ARDMORE, Dec. 16.—County officials this morning were investigating the shooting of Joe Carroll and John Smith, at Wilson last night, when the former was instantly killed and the latter seriously wounded.

According to information this morning, masked men in two cars called Carroll from his house and opened fire. Smith was in one of the automobiles.

Exonerates Slayer.

WILSON, Dec. 16.—"Whitney" Murphy, oil field worker who died at a local hospital early this morning from gunshot wounds in the leg, said to have been shot by John Thurman, left a note exonerating Thurman, who, he said, shot him in the heat of anger, and "didn't know what he was doing."

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the people of Ada, and especially the teachers and students of the Ada Normal, for their many thoughtful deeds and the beautiful floral offerings which cheered our sad hearts during the illness and death of our beloved daughter and sister.—Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Catron; Sylvia Catron.

Smallpox, introduced by the Dutch exterminated half the Hottentots in 1713.

LIGHT BUSINESS FOR POSTOFFICE SAYS WESTBROOK

Surprisingly light business was noticed this week at the Ada postoffice as the semimonthly lap leading up to the Christmas holidays opened, according to J. W. Westbrook, postmaster.

Indications now point somewhat clearly to one of the lightest Christmas holiday seasons in years, so far as postal business here is concerned, postoffice clerks declared.

Although Postmaster Westbrook has been authorized by the postal department to increase his force materially during the rush season, which normally opens about this time, he has so far found it unnecessary. No additional help has been added and it is even believed that the regular force will be able to handle all business. This time last year the postoffice was rushed.

One man now working part time

at the postoffice may be placed on a regular 8-hour basis if there is sufficient increase in parcel and other postal business to warrant, Mr. Westbrook said, but this probably will be the only change. Two clerks at the windows are handling with comparative ease the business so far. Certain indications of what the Christmas season is to bring in the way of increased work for the Ada postal force will be in evidence by Monday of next week, it is thought.

ALLEGED HI-JACKER IS CONVICTED OF MURDER

DUNCAN, Dec. 16.—E. C. McNutt, charged with the murder of Ben Coleman, 14-year-old boy, on the night of September 16 last, was found guilty by a jury in district court here today and sentenced to 99 years in the penitentiary.

Coleman was shot and killed by a supposed highwayman, who held up Coleman and several companions, when he made a movement as if to resist the hold-up.

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Men's Shirts

Dress Shirts; Work Shirts; Flannel Shirts; Madras and Percale Shirts; Shirts with collars attached; Shirts without collars; one of the finest stocks of Men's Shirts in the State of Oklahoma.

Men's \$3.50 and \$4 Shirts;
Rock Bottom Sale Price

\$2.95

Men's \$2.50 and \$3 Shirts;
Rock Bottom Sale Price

\$1.95

Men's Blue Work Shirts;
Rock Bottom Sale Price

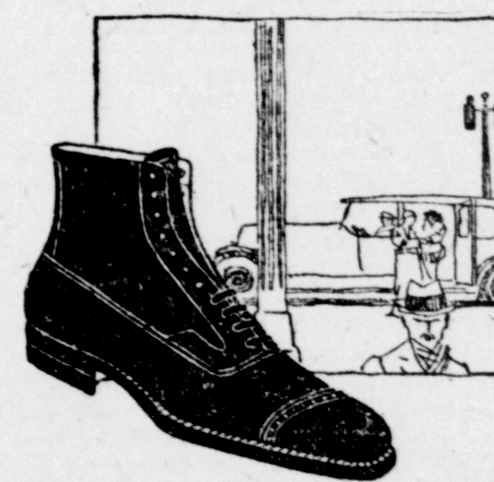
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Boys' \$1 Shirts and Blouses;
Rock Bottom Sale Price

69c

Men's \$2.00 Khaki Shirts;
Rock Bottom Sale Price

\$1.00



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Are Walking Down the Cut Price Route.

Edwin Clapp's Fine Shoes; Rock Bottom Sale Price **\$9.95**
Howard & Foster \$10 Shoes; Rock Bottom Sale Price **\$6.95**
Beacon \$7.50 Shoes; Rock Bottom Sale Price **\$4.95**
Men's \$3.50 and \$4 Work Shoes; Rock Bottom Sale Price **\$2.95**

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OUR OFFICE

Will be open on and after **Friday noon, December 16**, and our store as soon as same can be cleaned up.

ADA MUSIC CO.

Not in Years Have the Men of Ada Been Offered Such Values in Suits and Overcoats, as are priced in this 1/5 OFF SALE!!

Your choice from the finest clothing stock in Ada for Men and Boys, including every garment in the house—even those tailored by Kuppenheimer, at the following compelling prices

Men's and Young Men's Suits and Overcoats

\$15 Values, now ----- \$12
\$20 Values, now ----- \$16
\$25 Values, now ----- \$20
\$30 Values, now ----- \$24
\$35 Values, now ----- \$28
\$40 Values, now ----- \$32

Boys' Suits and O'Coats

\$5.50 Values, now ----- \$4.40
\$7.50 Values, now ----- \$6.00
\$8.50 Values, now ----- \$6.80
\$10.00 Values, now ----- \$8.00
\$12.50 Values, now ----- \$10.00
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Men's Corduroy Suits ----- \$8.00
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Knitted or Silk in the grandest assortment we ever had
\$1 to \$10

Handkerchiefs

Plain or initials, cambric, linen, silk or pongee.
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In Terry Cloth or Blankets; some have silk faced collars; all have heavy silk ropes and fringes
\$6.00, \$10, \$12.50

Felt House Slippers

\$2.25 to \$3

Ties

Knitted or Silk A beautiful and large assortment
At 50c
Others, \$1 to \$3

Hose

In silk; all colors Holeproof Brand
85c

Fur Caps Less 1-5 **\$2.80 to \$6**
Silk Shirts Less 1-5 **\$6 to \$7.20**
Fur Collars **\$8, \$10, \$14**
Stetson and Model Hats 1-5 Off **\$2.40 to \$8**
Hand Bags Less 1-5 **\$4 to \$24**

Wool Underwear 1-5 Off
\$4, \$5.20, \$6.40

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